

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMSLISTING OF CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claim 1. (Currently Amended) A headphone device, comprising:

an earpad worn on an exterior of an ear on the head of a user and including a cushion and a removable facing covering said cushion, wherein said removable facing includes a fitted portion seamed to a covering portion to form a hinge to facilitate removal from said cushion; and

a housing provided with a speaker unit and formed with a groove-shaped fitting portion adapted to hold ~~a~~ the fitted portion of said removable facing for attaching said earpad to said housing via said removable facing, wherein

said earpad is detachable from said housing, and

said removable facing is detachable from said cushion and said housing.

Claim 2. (Previously Presented) The headphone device as set forth in claim 1, wherein an external shape of said cushion of said earpad is circular.